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IN THE UNITED STRAFELS **PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Alexander WARTINI, et al.

SERIAL NO: 10/519,549

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EXAMINER: WITHERSPOON

FOR:

PROCESS FOR THE PREPARATION OF MACROCYCLIC KETONES BY DIECKMANN

CONDENSATION IN THE GAS PHASE

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

It is hereby requested that a one month extension of time be granted to September 8, 2006 for	
	filing a response to the Official Action dated:
	responding to the requirements in the Notice of Allowability dated:
	filing the Formal Drawings. The Issue Fee due has been timely filed.
	responding to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application dated:
	filing a Notice of Appeal. A timely response to the final rejection, due August 8, 2006 has been filed. A Request for Continued Examination is being filed herewith.
	filing an Appeal Brief. A Notice of Appeal was filed on:
	Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown below is reduced by one-half.
The required fee of \$120.00 is enclosed herewith by credit card payment and any further charges may be made against the Attorney of Record's Deposit Account No. <u>15-0030</u> . A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.	

Respectfully Submitted,

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